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April 12, 1996

Ben Terry Sundance Mining Co., Incorporated P. O. Box 750031 Torrey, Utah 84775-0031

Re: Second Request for Annual Reports for the Years 1993 thru 1995

Dear Mr. Terry:

As of this date, we have not received your annual report for the Snake Valley Lode, file number S/041/018, located in Sevier County, Sundance Mill, file number S/055/010, located in Wayne County, and the Crescent Creek #7 & Gold Queen, file number S/017/030, located in Garfield County, Utah. We have made attempts to contact you via telephone, but have had no success. The last report received for Snake Valley Lode was 1992 and the last reports received for the other two sites were in 1993. Please include the missing years with your filing.

The Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8-15, subsection (2) and Rule R647-3-116.1 of its interpretive rules, require a mine operator to file an annual report with this Division by January 31st of each year. This report is required regardless of mine activity, unless the Division grants a written waiver from the annual filing requirement, or the operator receives a formal release from continued reclamation obligations from the Division. Your failure to file this report, may constitute a violation of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, which could result in the issuance of a Notice of Noncompliance and/or a formal Notice of Agency Action.

We assume that your failure to return the completed annual report form was an oversight. Accordingly, we are once again requesting that you submit the required report to this office. Please return the enclosed annual report form no later than April 15, 1996. Feel free to copy the blank report form as needed. Please contact me or Tony Gallegos or Lynn Kunzler of my staff if you cannot meet this deadline or have questions or concerns in submitting the report. Thank you for your cooperation and prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg Permit Supervisor

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